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Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2008 3:50 PM
To: james.c.dail@verizon.com
Subject: RE: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708)

Thanks Jim.

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From: james.c.dail@verizon.com [mailto:james.c.dail@verizon.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2008 2:44 PM
To: Hicks, Thomas
Subject: Fw: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708)

Tom:

Thanks for your call. I plan to be in the office all day tomorrow, so we can finalize our plans for an extension of the Illinois and Texas negotiations then. As requested, here is my cell phone number: 703-965-0100.

Jim

----- Forwarded by JAMES C. DAIL/EMPL/VA/Verizon on 09/18/2008 03:39 PM -----

**JAMES C.
DAIL/EMPL/VA/Verizon**

To "Hicks, Thomas" <Thomas.Hicks@intrado.com>

cc

Subject: RE: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708)

09/17/2008 05:03 PM

Tom:

I left you a voice mail message this morning to call me to discuss the extension that you requested for the Illinois and Texas negotiations. I'd still like to talk to you live, but in the interest of time, I thought I'd send this e-mail also.

As we discussed a few weeks ago, I'm not sure that a short term negotiations extension for IL and TX will be of much benefit for Intrado, if your primary motivation is to use the results of the current active arbitrations for the agreements to be used in those states, since these arbitrations will likely extend into 2009. It may be more practical to restart the negotiation period through a new request for negotiations, as you did for Pennsylvania. For example, if you were to send a new RFN today, the new arbitration filing window would be between January 31 and February 25, 2009.

Nevertheless, Verizon can agree to an extension of the current negotiation period until November 28, 2008, if that's what you prefer. If this is the case, please review the attached draft letter for that purpose. If the letter is acceptable, let me know and I will sign an original copy and fax it to you for you to counter-sign and return to me, as we did for extensions in the past for other states.

By the way, speaking of Pennsylvania, I noticed that our records are still showing Intrado Inc. as the party requesting negotiations in that state (vs. Intrado Communications Inc.). If the requesting party should be Intrado Communications Inc. for Pennsylvania, you should send a correction to our Contract Management organization to avoid any future confusion.

Thanks,
Jim
703-878-9292

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09/11/2008 12:59 PM

To: JAMES C. DAIL/EMPL/VA/Verizon@VZNotes
cc: "Hicks, Thomas" <Thomas.Hicks@intrado.com>
Subject: RE: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708)

Jim,

Apparently my calculator needs a new battery. I have recalculated and confirmed the dates you show are indeed accurate. I apologize for any confusion.

In any event, if we are going to jointly exercise a 30 day extension, I would like to formalize that in a memo before Friday of next week. Beginning Friday of next week, I will be out of the office for vacation and hearings.

Thanks,

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From: james.c.dail@verizon.com [<mailto:james.c.dail@verizon.com>]
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To: Hicks, Thomas
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Subject: Fw: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708)

Tom:

This is in response to your voice mail message regarding the calculation of the arbitration filing window associated with your request for negotiations for Intrado Inc. for Illinois and Texas.

Section 252 of the Telecom Act specifies the period during which time a petition for arbitration may be filed with a State commission. Specifically, Section 252(b)(1) says:

"During the period from the 135th to the 160th day (inclusive) after the date on which an incumbent local exchange carrier receives a request for negotiation under this section, the carrier or any other party to the negotiation may petition a State commission to arbitrate any open issues."

As indicated in the attached e-mail, which was sent to you on April 18, 2008, Verizon received your request for negotiations on April 17, 2008. 135 days from April 17, 2008 was August 30, 2008 and 160 days from April 17, 2008 will be September 24, 2008.


We are still reviewing your request regarding an extension of the negotiation period. I will get back to you about that as soon as possible.

Hopefully, this information satisfies your concern about the calculation of the arbitration window, but if not, please let me know.

Jim

----- Forwarded by JAMES C. DAIL/EMPL/VA/Verizon on 09/11/2008 05:45 AM -----

Sent by: Kathy A. Robertson

To: "Hicks, Thomas" <Thomas.Hicks@intrado.com>
cc: JAMES C. DAIL/EMPL/VA/Verizon@VZNotes
Subject: Re: Request for Negotiations - Verizon/Intrado Inc. (IL,TX-041708) 

Tom,

The Negotiator assigned to Intrado Inc. for negotiations in IL and TX is Jim Dail. Jim can be reached via phone at 703-878-9292 or via e-mail to james.c.dail@verizon.com. Jim will be your point of contact going forward.

Kathy

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To "Hicks, Thomas"
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Sent by: Kathy A. Robertson

Request for Negotiations -
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041708)

04/18/2008 08:43 AM

Tom,

Please confirm receipt of the attached draft agreement via return email.

Verizon has received Intrado Inc.'s request for negotiations for a CLEC comprehensive agreement for the states of Illinois and Texas. The start date for this negotiation is April 17, 2008, the date we received your request.

Pursuant to your request, I have attached for your review a draft for the purpose of initiating negotiations between Intrado Inc. and Verizon. In addition, I have attached the Verizon State Specific Guide and draft Traffic Exchange Attachment. This guide and attachment should be used in conjunction with the draft documents. The drafts and guide are not executable agreements, but are subject to change throughout the negotiation process.

On April 18, 2001, the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") adopted an order addressing the charges that carriers may bill to and collect from each other in connection with their exchange of dial-up Internet traffic. See, *Order on Remand and Report and Order*, CC Docket Nos. 96-98, 99-68 (adopted April 18, 2001) (the "Order"). Pursuant to the terms of the Order, Verizon offers to all CLECs and CMRS providers an optional reciprocal compensation rate plan for termination of non-Internet traffic subject to Section 251(b)(5). Under this optional plan, such traffic exchanged between Verizon and a CLEC or CMRS provider in a given state will be subject to compensation at the same rate applicable to Internet traffic in that state under the terms of the Order. The pricing, terms and conditions applicable to this optional rate plan are available from your designated Verizon Negotiator.

Please complete and return via e-mail the attached Information Request Form in order to provide Verizon with the necessary information to proceed with this request.

The Verizon Support Website (www.verizon.com/partnersolutions) will provide you with additional information and resources to get started on doing business with Verizon, including information on ordering local services, trouble administration, training, provisioning, and billing (www22.verizon.com/wholesale/local/order/gettingstarted/). When negotiations are complete and Intrado Inc. has an effective agreement in place, you will need to establish an account profile with Verizon before placing local service request (LSR) orders. Information regarding the process for setting up your profile through CPSST (Customer Profile Self-Service Tool) is available to you online at <http://www22.verizon.com/wholesale/business/local/establish/home/1...00.html>. If you have questions regarding the CPSST tool, please contact profile.management@verizon.com. You may also want to request an Account Manager assignment; you can submit a request online at http://www22.verizon.com/wholesale/lsp/contact_form/0...3.00.html. Your Account Manager will be your Verizon point of contact throughout the life of your contract.

At your convenience, please contact me with any questions you may have regarding this agreement.

Thank you!

Kathy

Kathy Robertson
Manager-Contract Management
Verizon Partner Solutions

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